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SPOT WELDING GUN FOR RESISTANCE WELDING OF

WORKPIECES

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on May 23, 2006, Applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Patent Examiner the reference listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and attached thereto. This reference, namely DE 44 16 504, was cited in a Chinese Office Action. An English translation of the Chinese Office Action is enclosed.

DE 197 54 546 and EP 1 352 700, also cited in the Chinese Office Action, were previously submitted in Applicants' May 23, 2006 Information Disclosure Statement.

Because this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before a first Office Action on the merits, it is believed that no fee is required; however, if a fee should be required for this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge any required fee, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

It is respectfully requested that the foregoing Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be incorporated into the official file of the present patent application.

Respectfully submitted, Walter STIEGLBAUER ET AL

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Enclosures:

PTO-form 1449 with one (1) reference English translation of Chinese Office Action

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